GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3828
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FLOOD MANAGEMENT
Barman Shri Hiten

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

o refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 2968 on December 20th, 2004 and state:

(a) whether the Joint Technical Team (JTT) was asked to submit its report by March 2005 to Joint Group of Experts (JGE) on flood management between India and Bhutan;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the stage at which the matter stands at present?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) Yes sir.

(b) First meeting of Joint Technical Team (JTT) was held at Siliguri from 18th April to 21st April, 2005.

(c) Preliminary report of JTT prepared in the meeting and has been sent to Team leader of Royal Government of Bhutan by Team leader of Indian side.